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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring the department of natural resources to include
2 anatomical donor symbols on certain licenses.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 142C.2, subsection 6, Code 2019, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 6. "*Document of gift*" means a donor card or other record
4 used to make an anatomical gift, including a statement or
5 symbol on a driver's license, ~~or~~ identification card, or
6 hunting, fishing, or fur harvester license, or an entry in a
7 donor registry.

8 Sec. 2. Section 142C.2, Code 2019, is amended by adding the
9 following new subsection:

10 NEW SUBSECTION. 13A. "*Hunting, fishing, or fur harvester*
11 *license*" means a license issued by the department of natural
12 resources or an authorized license agent pursuant to chapter
13 483A.

14 Sec. 3. Section 142C.3, subsection 1, paragraph a, Code
15 2019, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph:

16 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (4) A minor, if the minor is authorized
17 under state law to apply for a hunting, fishing, or fur
18 harvester license, the minor is at least 14 years of age, and
19 the minor authorizes a symbol indicating an anatomical gift on
20 a hunting, fishing, or fur harvester license with the signed
21 approval of a parent or guardian.

22 Sec. 4. Section 142C.3, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
23 2019, is amended by adding the following new subparagraph:

24 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (02) By authorizing a symbol indicating
25 that the donor has made an anatomical gift to be imprinted on
26 the donor's hunting, fishing, or fur harvester license.

27 Sec. 5. Section 142C.3, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code
28 2019, is amended to read as follows:

29 *c.* Revocation, suspension, expiration, or cancellation of a
30 driver's license, ~~or~~ identification card, or hunting, fishing,
31 or fur harvester license upon which an anatomical gift is
32 indicated shall not invalidate the gift.

33 Sec. 6. Section 142C.8, subsections 1 and 2, Code 2019, are
34 amended to read as follows:

35 1. When a hospital refers an individual at or near death

1 to a procurement organization, the procurement organization
2 shall make a reasonable search of the records of the state
3 department of transportation, department of natural resources,
4 and any donor registry that the hospital knows exists for the
5 geographical area in which the individual resides to ascertain
6 whether the individual has made an anatomical gift.

7 2. A procurement organization shall be allowed reasonable
8 access to information in the records of the state department
9 of transportation and the department of natural resources to
10 ascertain whether an individual at or near death is a donor.

11 Sec. 7. Section 142C.18, Code 2019, is amended by adding the
12 following new subsection:

13 NEW SUBSECTION. 2A. The department of natural resources
14 shall cooperate with a person that administers the Iowa donor
15 registry for the purpose of transferring to the donor registry
16 all relevant information regarding a donor's making of an
17 anatomical gift.

18 Sec. 8. Section 142C.18, subsection 3, paragraph d, Code
19 2019, is amended to read as follows:

20 d. Provide a centralized, automated system to compile
21 donation information received by the state department of
22 transportation, department of natural resources, county
23 treasurers, and the Iowa donor network.

24 Sec. 9. Section 483A.10, Code 2019, is amended by adding the
25 following new subsection:

26 NEW SUBSECTION. 3. An application for a hunting, fishing,
27 or fur harvester license shall include a section where an
28 applicant may request that the applicant's license include a
29 symbol that indicates that the applicant is a donor under the
30 revised uniform anatomical gift Act as provided in chapter
31 142C.

32 Sec. 10. Section 483A.18, Code 2019, is amended to read as
33 follows:

34 **483A.18 Form of licenses.**

35 1. All hunting, fishing, and fur harvester licenses shall

1 contain a general description of the licensee. Such licenses
 2 shall be upon such forms as the commission shall adopt. The
 3 address and the signature of the applicant and all signatures
 4 and other required information shall be in writing. All
 5 licenses shall clearly indicate the nature of the privilege
 6 granted.

7 2. Upon request of an applicant pursuant to section 483A.10,
 8 the department shall indicate on the license that the applicant
 9 is a donor under the revised uniform anatomical gift Act as
 10 provided in chapter 142C.

11 Sec. 11. Section 483A.27, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
 12 2019, is amended to read as follows:

13 a. A certificate of completion shall not be issued to
 14 a person who has not satisfactorily completed an approved
 15 hunter education course. The department shall establish the
 16 curriculum based on the standards adopted by the international
 17 hunter education association — United States of America for
 18 the approved hunter education course. The curriculum shall
 19 include instruction relating to becoming an organ donor under
 20 the revised uniform anatomical gift Act as provided in chapter
 21 142C. Upon completion of the course, each person shall pass
 22 an individual oral test or a written test provided by the
 23 department. The department shall establish the criteria for
 24 successfully passing the tests. Based on the results of
 25 the test and demonstrated safe handling of a firearm, the
 26 instructor shall determine the persons who shall be issued a
 27 certificate of completion.

28 EXPLANATION

29 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
 30 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

31 Current law does not require the department of natural
 32 resources to include on a hunting, fishing, or fur harvester
 33 license application a section where an applicant may request
 34 that the applicant's license indicate that the applicant is
 35 a donor under the revised uniform anatomical gift Act. This

1 bill requires the department to include such a section. If
2 any adult applicant or any minor applicant who is at least
3 14 years of age and has the signed approval of a parent or
4 guardian requests that the applicant's hunting, fishing, or
5 fur harvester license indicate that the applicant is a donor
6 under the revised uniform anatomical gift Act, the department
7 must place a symbol on the applicant's license that makes the
8 indication. An applicant's authorization to have the symbol
9 placed on the applicant's hunting, fishing, or fur harvester
10 license is a valid method of making an anatomical gift under
11 the bill.

12 The bill requires the department to provide reasonable
13 access to information to a procurement organization to
14 ascertain whether an individual at or near death is a donor.
15 The bill also requires the department to cooperate with a
16 person that administers the Iowa donor registry for the purpose
17 of transferring to the registry all relevant information
18 regarding a donor's making of an anatomical gift. The
19 department shall also include instruction relating to becoming
20 an organ donor under the revised uniform anatomical gift Act in
21 its hunter education program curriculum.